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#### PERSONAL.

H. R. Farmer of Muskogee is in the Sol Smith Russell and troupe have ar-

A. O. Carr of Chicago was in Fort Worth yesterday. W. C. Rogers of Jacksboro was at the

Mansion yesterday. R. L. Willmore of Lexington, Ky., was

in the city yesterday. J. D. Koogle, a well-known citizen of Clarendon, is in the city.

James W. Shaw, a citizen of Granbury, was in the city yesterday. G. M. Bowie, a well known merchant of

Weatherford is in the city. W. R Gearn of Little Rock is spending

a day or two in Fort Worth. Mr. T. L. Camalian of the Plano manu-

facturing company, St. Louis, is in the E. Smith, the well-known commercial

traveler, has returned to spend the holf-Mr. J. J. Melton was called to Dallas

and will return to-night. Ex Senator Matlock, now manager of the Capitol Syndicate ranch, is in the

city, and will remain a day or two. Y. B. Dowell, a well-known Cisco newspaper man and a delegate to the immigration convention, is at the Pickwick. W. W. Dickerson, a prominent merchant and banker of Mobeetie and a delegate to the immigration convention, was in the city last night.

B M. Baker, formerly state superinlast night on his way to the Dallas con-

Hon. J. N. Browning, representative from the Jambo district, 'arrived last night from Mobeetie, and will remain in Fort Worth to-day. He comes to attend the immigration convention.

Mr. W. E Kennedy, late of the Pickwick, leaves for New Orleans this morning to perfect some business arrangements. His many friends may expect him back shortly representing leading houses. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy will be pleased to know that Mr. Kennedy will make this his headquarters and that Mrs. Kennedy will continue to reside here.

### LOCALETTES.

The County Commissioners meet in regular session this morning.

Attention is called to advertisement of lost plans on second page of this paper. See Sol Smith Russell in his great success, "Bewitched," at the opera house to-night.

Work on Railroad avenue and Pennsylvania avenue will begin bright and early If you don't flad what you want at

go there at first. It costs nothing to see the fine display of holiday goods at Wells drug store.

Give him an early call. The water now furnished from the river

for any and all purposes. The City Council will hold the second regular meeting for December, to-morrow at 2 o'clock, at the new city hall.

Worth are being generally discussed.

The churches were all well attended yesterday. All the Sunday schools are preparing for their Christmas celebra-

B. B Bondurant sold a part of block in place of \$900 as published. J. H. asers.

convention should at end the meeting Antonio, and my many friends in Fort called for this morning at 11 o'clock at | Worth will testify their sati-faction in the Merchants and Manufacturers' dealing with me. The repairing of

specialties. R served seats, now on sale at Dashwood & Oesch's drngstore.

Several shares of stock in the Fort

immigration, appointed for the 20th at Dallas. Last night the Fort Worth hotels held a number of delegates on their way. The Cisco delegation, that from Mobeetie, Canadian and other Panhandle points, several of the San Angelo delegates, and a number from other points, were among those in the city.

#### The Germs of Consumption. London Standard,

Dr. Brown-Sequard, who has been preaching that bad ventilation of sleeping rooms and poor and monotonous food are many of his examples from England.

Wherever population is dense and sleeping rooms ill-aired or over-crowded consumption prevails. Dr. Bailey reported that in Millbank prison there were,

#### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

R Gould. K neas C ty; A F Truitt. civ; A R
Manton, LaGrange; Jno Csmalen Danison; W L
Sawyer, Milwaukee; E Tugwell, Piano; Mrs
A M Field, Miss Ella Hauks, Miss E mie
Hauks, Taylor; Jno D C wford, vxtell; D O
Brown, Jack-bo o; Valeny Hall, Marshall; Geo Head, B M Head, Denisor; Y B Dowell, Cisco; F D Grice, Quan h; J E Litt, E J Archinard, Decatur; J W Cioften, Texas; W G 'rant, Co orado; M O Hail, Dallas; J L Stanfeld, Hillsboro; Edgar Reio, M & L R Ry; E Myatt, Texas: L H Mathis, Gainesvile; N D Perry, C L Richi, Texas; H H Harding, Ft W & R G Ry; Mrs J D Templet n, Austin; T A Coleman, Virt ria; M P Logan, Dallas; J D Koogl, Virt ria; M P Logan, Dallas; J D Koogl, Ciarendon; F L Phillips, Gainesvile; A R Coleman, up to this time, but hope to make no Clarendon; F L Philips, Gainesville; A R Mabry, T J Powell, city; A R Farmer, Mus-kogen; P D Preston, St Louie; P H Pi-rce, Miss what I have done that appears strange to livra Pierce, Allie Pierce, Texas; A B Combe, some was done for them; but all I was

At Ginochto's: Ely Blane, New York; Mrs. Howel, city; J. W. Clifton, city; Horte Wood, Charles Lyle, Clare don; San ers. Clarendon; Bet Ferguson, Claren on; teach them to forget if possible what has and beneficial to them. They have no J W. Smith, Mt Blanco, H. C Holombe, happened. I have been married thirteen fancy prices, but sell good goods for ex-Woodward, sherman M. R Geer, Marshall James W Snam, Granbury.

At the Ellis Dr J W Williamson, St Louis R C Moore, Indian Territority; W C Moore, Dodd City; O Eaton, Fort Worth; G G Riffer, Cincinea i; J F Linburst and wife Van Mortor; Mrs John Ford, Marshall, Tex; Mrs Eva ood, Weatherford; G B L ving, E. Paso; J B Atterson Baitimore H W Gabbett, Savannah Line; I E Scully and wife, Grandbury; Miss Mo gan Long, tlan a, Ga; John A Merritt and wife. lookfort N Y; W I Lee, Gsinesville, Tex; G M Bowle, Weatherford; H D Cha man. Chi cago, Il; Frank L Davis and wif , New York; Charles J Boone, city, Mis Jenny Karseur, New York; Miss Louise McInto h. New Y rk; Miss Louise McInto h. New Y rk; Miss McInto borne, New York; J H is attmer. N C and St L R shoa; A L Smith Dallas, soil Smith Russell, New York; Fred B rger, New York; James Goodwin, St Louis; Thomas F Uncle Jimmie, and told them that they

At the Manston: W M Swift, R M Carr, Chicago: James M Bulow. Yate Ill; W G yesterday on very important business, B rr. Dallas; Philip Hall, ct y; C F Collin, Chicago; Gus B ock, big sp ings; O H Weslake, M D, Range; Jemes Langaw, Qua ah; R L Wilmore, L xiagton, Ky; H E Ja es, Bowle; Miss Minnie Mercer, Tehucana, M M Brue, Decatur; W C Rogers, Jac sboro; W R Hencian Dallas; Doc McAdams, Colorado; William M. Y ught, Doc McAdams, Colorado; M C Parke, W B. Coarre, L. L. P. och M C Pa ks, Chicago; W R Gearn, L tule Rick W S Evans Job Barke, city; I M O'Ferril, R M S; J D Dicks n, city; W S Barr, Dallas; E T M rch son, c ty; L F Clar -, Greene, M H Farr, H Palmer with Jno Whitaker, Geo Frown with Dr Duringe, city; W J R gers, W B Crock tt, Rhome; Jacob Warren, San Antoni; Capited the letter, read it, and then sent capital reaction. In the meantime I had gone to Karsas to work on a clew I had, and this gave me knowledge of their whereabouts. Mrs. King had written to her sister, I interconcern to the capital reaction. In the meantime I had gone to Karsas to work on a clew I had, and this gave me knowledge of their whereabouts. Mrs. King had written to her sister, I interconcern to the capital reaction. In the meantime I had gone to Karsas to work on a clew I had, and this gave me knowledge of their whereabouts. Mrs. King had written to her sister, I interconcern to the capital reaction. Sam Erwin Ryan Cy Van Etten, Fred J Wildman, Soi Soit h Russell Company; J K Bennett, Decatur; H C Clark, Miss Frankie C awfore, tendent of public instruction, now a Miss Arnie Thom s. Dallas; J H Caldwell, citizen of Canadian, was in Fort Worth Cisco; L Y Edwards, Baird; R C Moore, Arnold-

> Open at Night date until Christmas until 9 o'clock at "for God's sake don't shoot, you will kill night for the benefit of these who do not an innocent man" Chitwood begged have time to buy during the day. We like a whipped cur and swore nothing have a large variety of articles suitable time tell me nothing. While I was gone for presents. Call and see us.

J. M. HARTSPILLD & Co.

Plush goods of every description at See Sol Smith Russell at the opera

house to-night. Reserved seats on safe at Dashwood & Orsch's drug store.

Holiday goods very low at Threlkeld &

Challenge. A young pugilist of Fort Worth, weight returning found Mrs. King seated on the 185 pounds, would like to meet any side of the bed crying. I said, Jennie, and tried to strike the bear, who knocked pugilist of Texas with light gloves, Queensbury rules, to fight from \$50 to \$250 per side and entire gate receipts. Would prefer to meet a Dallas man. To show good faith, \$25 is deposited in the City National bank of Fort Worth, subject to forfeit. For particulars adother stores, go to Wells'. Better still, dress D. F. Mountain, 1609 Main street, Fort Worth, Tex.

The great Pappoose 5 cent cigar stands am mma is going away, kiss her at the head of the procession. We have sold over 5000 in the short time we have the tru h about the relations existing beis as clear as a crystal, and can be used handled them, to everyones satisfaction, Come and try them and he convinced. DASHWOOD & OESCH.

### Grand Opening Display

The base ball fever is still on and the Of diamonds, watches and jewelry at L. their mother. Mrs. King said it was a coming games between Dallas and Fort Rouvant's, Dallas, Tex., at wholesale or lie, but I told her I believed my children. retail. I beg to solicit an examination of I went to a house on Calhoun street my stock, which is unrivaled in the south- where she had staid one night to see her. west for its completeness, variety and beauty of designs and patterns. My stock of watches and dismonds will please the most fastichers, and cannot in Jennings west addition for \$1500, fail to give satisfaction to any one who wishes to purchase anything in my line. Myers and J. L. Bass were the purch- Although just opening here in Dallas, I have been nearly twenty years in the Every delegate appointed to the Dallas jewelry business in Galveston and San minute repeaters, split second chrono-Sol Smith Russell, America's greatest comedian, at the o era house to-night. He will appear in his famous songs and supervision.

Graphs and all kinds of English and Juer gurson watches is under my personal supervision.

L. ROUVANT, Practical Geneva watch maker, corner

Eim and Lamar streets, Dallas,

## THE KING CASE.

Children of Milton King at Chitwood's Hands.

Take His Children With Him-& Pitiful Sight.

The heart of man is often saddened at the great cause of phthisis, treated of what he sees passing on around him. Inthat disease at the last meeting of the justice, crime, cruelty have their victims. Academy of Sciences, in Paris, taking | The moans of the widow and the fatherless touch the finer nature of man and awaken sympathy, but a sight presented to the eyes of a GAZETTE reporter last night must have made the angels of heaven out of 100 deaths, forty-five from this weep for pity. In a room at the Mansion hotel were found Milton King and his According to the illustrious French three motherless children-aye worke doctor, a room in which a consumptive than motherless. Lying on one bed with person eleeps is recking with contagious her long golden hair partly covering her Handkerchiefs and Neckwear. g-rms, if the air he inhales is not carried | face and clustering about her shoulders, off. But how get rid of it in ill-built was Kittle King, a little girl of eleven houses, of very cold weather, when it is years. Her features bore the stamp of as dangerous to open windows as to keep unhappy thoughts, and several times them shut? the restless child spoke in her sleep as she turned her head Sequard showed the academy an apparation side to side on the pillow. tus of his invention. A reversed funnel, Ia another bed on the opposite side of the the shape of a lamp-shade, is placed at room were Freddie King, a boy of six, the end of a tube, so arranged in its and Minnie, the baby of the family, four curves and angles that when it is placed | years of age. The boy was sleeping b side a bed the reversed funnel will be soundly and seemed to be in that dreamchimney of the room. If there is none it been put on by the father's hand, had one is taken through a heating apparatus to arm thrown across her brother's neck an air-hole. The heat is great enough to while the other was laid across the innocent heart. On the face was a smile, for when the little eyes had closed in sleep she had had her arms around her father's neck and lisped, "I love you papa." Seated by the table in the center of the At the Pickwich: W J Jackson, Alvarado; D Edel, returned; Robert C Stockston, W & children, the father of the second existing contracts.

At the Pickwich: W J Jackson, Alvarado; D Edel, returned; Robert C Stockston, W & children, the descrited husband. He was about existing contracts.

W W Dickerson, Mobee ie; Mrs Luite Oden, Miss Ida O en, Alvarado; Walter M Mc Guarding all that was left to him by the despoiler.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

leaving the city to-morrow; is it true?" "Yes; I will take my children and go | tue. Is it too late, even now, for that

until she left me, taking my children and went to California with Cnit wood."

away?" of course they were glad to go. In place of going to Dallas they went to San Antonio where Chitwood changed his name to J. Fleetwood and registered at the Uncle Jimmie, and told them that they was going on. The first thing Caitwood did was to use \$59 or \$60 of the money \$200 or \$300 in new dresses. From San Antonio they went to Sau Francisco. In cepted the letter, read it, and then sent save 40 per cent. it on to its destination. My sisterin-law's husband aided me, and I saw the answer to this letter I at once got on the train and went We will keep our store open from this pulled down on Chitwood. Mrs. King said to get a telegram from Fort Worth, saywholesale prices at L. C. Pitt's, next to Fort Worth and show people here that had been true I could forgive her action about the money, that we would all

been to the drug store one day, and on swore she had, and we quarreled. She aged twelve, ran up and, putting his gun left and went to a lawyer's office to get a to the bear's head, blew out his brains divorce and to get the children. I em- and saved his brother's life. ployed counsel, and Mrs. King soon learned that she could get no divorce and hotel and I told the children being dumped in the river.

good-bye," then Kittle told me tween Chitwood and Mrs. King and the other children, even to the smallest one, fully corroborated it. When the poor little things had said they would tell me they were whipped both by Caltwood and This was Saturday. She came in and was trying to learn from a man in town Cnitwood's whereabouts. I followed her out and told her for God's sake to leave Fort Worth if she proposed to act that way. She is still here, and the only thing left for me is to go with the three

will not follow." There was nothing more to say, and the reporter rose to go. The fire was burning low in the grate, and fiful shadows played about the room, resting now and then on the three children. The very tick of the clock was sad. Could that mother have stood there, and gazed upon her elee ping children, would not the memories of what had been have worked out the blot of shame from the mother heart, and would she not even now when perbe made to raise the balance of the money before the directors meet this week.

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The class are beginning to gather for the operation in the interest of at Dashwood & Oesen's.

Mr. King Decides to Leave Fort Worth and

"Mr King, I understand you intend

day, but I am now determined. I have that a startling statement was to be made up to this time, but hope to make no willing to do and all I did do were of no avail, and all that is left is for me to take these children from Fort Worth and things for the chile years and always loved my wife dearly actly what they are worth-so more.

"How were the children persuaded "Caitwood and Mrs. King told them they were going to jun me in Dallas and would best them to death if they didn't, rif they ever told me anything of what t ken from the bank by Mrs. and buy himself a new suis of clothes, while Mrs. King put to San Francisco and found them. I was so exasperated I drew my pistol and ing warrants had been forwarded, Chitwood escaped. Mrs. King swore she was innocent and said she would return to she was innocent. I told her that if she

little ones where their mother's shame

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above the sleeper and draw up the air he breathes. The other end runs into the Minnie, clad in a snowy gown which had breathes. The other end runs into the Minnie, clad in a snowy gown which had breathes. Bargains in Clothing Department! Bargains in Shoe Department! Bargains In Hat Department! Bargains in Every Department!

# FOR YOURSELF!

where I can begin anew and live off the mother to repent? Is there no good shadow resting on these children and myself."

Samaritan in this city who can pour balm on the wounded hearts of these people? Is there not some Christian woman whose

Opera House.

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Now is the time to save money by at-

tending the auction sales at L. C. Pitt's,

Two bad sons of Farmer Peck, who lives on the Upper Hornet creek, Idaho, went hunting on a recent Sunday. They move to some place where we were found a bear cub and shot it. Then they not known and begin over again. I plead came upon a full-grown cinnamon bear, with her for the children's sake to do and fired at and missed it. The bear this. W en we got back Mrs. King was started for the boys, and the oldest, aged sick, and I called in a physician. I had sixteen, stood his ground, and, with a second shot, broke bruin's leg. The animal didn't stop. The boy clubbed his gun you have hidden something from me; the gun from his hand and caught his you have not told me the truth. She arm in his mouth. Then the younger boy,

Oysters are found in the Januara river could not get the children. She signed a in considerable quantities. They are release to the children, and we agree to supposed to have originated from oyster separate. We went back to the shells, to which young oysters adhered,

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